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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 18, 2003, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Listing of the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.